LAND RECLAMATION COMMISSION

STATE OF MISSOURI

P.O. BOX 176 JEFFERSON CITY, MISSOURI 65102 573-751-4041

Permit To Engage in Surface Mining

LAND RECLAMATION COMMISSION

ISSUES TO

| UNIMIN CORPORATION | |
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| Pursuant to "The Land Reclamation Act," RSMo, 2001, and on conformity with the statements | |
| In the application, a permit is hereby granted to engage in surface mining of | |
| silica sand in the state of Missouri. The extent of the | |
| Proposed mining operation(s) will be on 258 acres, more or less. | |
| The locations of the operation(s) under this permit is/are as follows: Renewal | |

Site/Stream Site County Total Section Township Range Acres Acres Number Renewed New Acres Name Pevely Mine 0517 21, 22, 27, 28 41N 05E 258 258 Jefferson 0

This permit may be suspended or revoked upon violation of any or all of the conditions set forth in "The Land Reclamation Act," RSMo. 2001, or in such rules and regulations as are promulgated pursuant thereto by the Land Reclamation Commission.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand this 4th day of March 2004

DIRECTOR OF STAFF
Land Reclamation Commission

 Permit No.
 0525

 Effective Date
 03/25/2004

 Expiration Date
 03/24/2005

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MISSOURI DEPARTMENT ___ NATURAL RESOURCES LAND RECLAMATION COMMISSION

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PERMIT RENEWAL FOR INDUSTRIAL MINERAL MINES

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| | | MISSOU | RI LAND | JEFFERSON | CITY, MO 65102-0176 |
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| NAME OF CORPORATION, COMPANY, PARTNERSHIP OR INDIVID | | RECLAMATION | COMMISSIC | | 10 2007 |
| Unimin Corporation - Peve ADDRESS | ely Plant Iony | | | STATE | 10, 2004 |
| 2968 Highway Z | 1 | evely | | MO | 63070 |
| CONTACT PERSON | | <u> </u> | | TELEPHONE NUMBER | |
| Daniel Rowe | | | ϵ | 36-479-3 | 260 |
| FEES: COMPLETE SECTION I OR SECTION | | | | | |
| SECTION I. Fees: Open pit operators and the | ose mining more than 5,00 | 00 tons of sand a | ind/or gravel | l: | |
| 1. To compute the site fee complete the infe | rmation below: | | | | |
| SITE NAME OR NUMBER | Mark each month that the | site will be energ | tod during | or sites operated k | ess than six months per |
| | the permit year | site will be opera | | | u six months or more per |
| | | | | permit year pay \$300 | 0 |
| 1. Pevely Mine | Jan, Fely, Mar, Apr, May, Jun, | , J _X I, Aug, S _X p, O _X | t, Mov, Dec 1 | \$300 | |
| 2. | Jan, Feb, Mar, Apr, May, Jun, | , Jul, Aug, Sep, Oc | t, Nov, Dec 3 | 5 | |
| 3. | Jan, Feb, Mar, Apr, May, Jun, | , Jul, Aug, Sep, Oc | t, Nov, Dec \$ | F | |
| 4. | Jan, Feb, Mar, Apr, May, Jun, | , Jul, Aug, Sep, Oc | t, Nov, Dec | 5 | |
| 5. | Jan, Feb, Mar, Apr, May, Jun, | , Jul, Aug, Sep, Oc | t, Nov, Dec | . | |
| 6. | Jan, Feb, Mar, Apr, May, Jun, | Jul, Aug, Sep, Oc | t, Nov, Dec \$ | > | |
| 7. | Jan, Feb, Mar, Apr, May, Jun, | , Jul, Aug, Sep, Oc | t, Nov, Dec \$ | 5 | |
| 8. | Jan, Feb, Mar, Apr, May, Jun, | , Jul, Aug, Sep, Oc | t, Nov, Dec \$ | } | |
| 9. | Jan, Feb, Mar, Apr, May, Jun, | Jul, Aug, Sep, Oc | t, Nov, Dec \$ | > | |
| 10. | Jan, Feb, Mar, Apr, May, Jun, | Jul, Aug, Sep, Oc | t, Nov, Dec \$ | <u> </u> | |
| TOTAL SITE FEE | | | - \$ | 300 | |
| 2. Acreage Fee \$5 X 258 number of | acres bonded | | \$ | ; 1290 | |
| 3. Annual Permit Fee | | | \$ | 500 | |
| | | | | • | |
| 4. Total Fee (Add totals from 1, 2 and 3) | | ••••• | \$ | 2,090 | |
| NOTE: If Total Fee exceeds \$2,500.00 then | pay only | *************************************** | \$ | 2,500 | |
| | | | | | |
| SECTION II. FEES: Sand or gravel operators | mining less than 5,000 to | ns per year: | | _ | |
| 1. Annual Permit Fee | •••••• | ••••• | \$ | 300 | |
| SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT | 75 | har no | ir | DATE 2/18 | 104 |
| | FEBRUARY, 20 | 04, | | | |
| Appeared before me this day of to me personally known, who executed the abo | | | | | |
| NOTARY PUBLIC EMBOSSER SEAL STATE OF | 0 0 | | COUNTY (OR CITY | OF ST. LOUIS) | |
| 97 | Moure | | To. | PROC | 501 |
| DEBRA L. BANKS | ORN BEFORE ME, THIS | WEAR 2004 | LISE DI IDREE | <u> </u> | AR AREA BELOW. |
| STATE OF MISSOURI | ATURE LAD | COMMISSION | OSE NOBBEI | TOTAMP IN OLL | AN ANEA BELOW. |
| Jefferson County | | PIRES | | | : |
| Commission Expires: June 4, 2006 | X. Jans | 6-4-06 | | | |
| NOTARY PUBLIC NAME OF A PARTIES | ENYPED OR PRINTED) | $\nu < 1$ | | | |
| FOR DEPARTIMENT USE ONLY: APPROVED BY | DATE APPROVED | PERMIT NUMBER | | EXPIRATION D | ATE |
| pul for | 3-2-04 | 05 | 25 | 3- | 2405 |
| 0.700 (10.00) | | | | | |

MISSOURI DEPARTMENT VATURAL RESOURCES LAND RECLAMATION COMMISSION SITE INFORMATION FORM



| To be completed for each separate area | of disturbance assoc | iated with mining opera | ations. MISSOURI LAND |
|--|----------------------|--------------------------|--|
| SITE NAME OR NUMBER | | PERMIT NUMBER | RECLAMATION COMMISSION |
| Jnimin Corporation's Pevely Mine | | 0525 | |
| COMPANY NAME | | • | |
| Unimin Corporation, 2968 H | Highway Z, Pe | vely, Missouri | , 63070-2303 |
| COUNTY | 1/4 SECTION | | SECTION 4/15/98 |
| Jefferson | SW 1/4, SE 1 | /4 | SECTION 4/15/98: 21,22 = 27 = 2 D. love (MD) |
| TOWNSHIP | RANGE | | ACRES |
| 41N | 5E | | 258 |
| RIVER OR STREAM NAME (FOR IN-ST | REAM ACRES) | | |
| | | | |
| MINERAL COMMODITY | | ESTIMATED TONS/ | YEAR (FOR GRAVEL SITES) |
| Silica Sand | | greater than | .5000 |
| | | | |
| NAME OF LANDOWNER (ATTACH LIS | T IE MODE THAN O | NE) | |
| , | I IF WORE I MAIN O | INC <i>)</i> | |
| Unimin Corporation | | | |
| ADDRESS | | | |
| 258 Elm Street | | | |
| CITY | | STATI | ZIP CODE |
| New Canaan | | CT | 06840-5300 |
| SOURCE OF RIGHT TO MINE (CHECK | (ONE): | | DATE OF AGREEMENT |
| MINERAL DEED | | LEASE | |
| WARRANTY DEED | | ☐ VERBAL AGREE | EMENT |
| OTHER (DESCRIBE): | | | |
| | | | |
| | | | |
| MINERAL RIGHTS OWNER (ATTACH I | LIST IF MORE THAN | ONE) | |
| Unimin Corporation | | | |
| ADDRESS | | | |
| 258 Elm Street | | | |
| CITY | | STAIL | ZIP CODE |
| New Canaan | | СТ | 06840-5300 |
| SOURCE OF RIGHT TO MINE (CHECK | K ONE): | | DATE OF AGREEMENT |
| MINERAL DEED | | LEASE | |
| WARRANTY DEED | | VERBAL AGREE | EMENT L |
| OTHER (DESCRIBE): | | | |
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| NOTE: Each site must be shown on a m | nap and be included | in a public notice and a | n approved mine plan. |
| MO 780-1036 (12-91) | | | |

MISSOURI DEPARTMENT O 'ATURAL RESOUP E C E LAND RECLAMATION COMMINE PLAN

be protected by water diversions and seeding.

sedimentation pond embankments.

Some of the clay-rich soil may be utilized in the construction of



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| TYPE OF PLAN (CHECK ONE): SHORT TERM, FOR ONE PERMIT YEAR | MISSOURI LA | AND |
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| LONG TERM, FOR PERIOD THROUGH DATE: 2002 | RECLAMATION CO | |
| DESCRIPTION OF SITE PRIOR TO LAND RECLAMATION COMMISSION VEGETATION AND TOPOGRAPHY. | PERMITTING (BY APP | PLICANT OR PRIOR OPERATOR), INCLUDING SOIL, |
| Prior to mining, Unimin Corporation's | Pevely mine | site was primarily an |
| unmanaged wildlife habitat. | | |
| The topography at the Pevely site cons varies from roughly 500 to 625 feet ak | | |
| The vegetation consists of a mixture of | | |
| contain grasses, junipers and other by | | |
| mixture of hardwood trees, some of whi | | |
| The topsoil is generally less than one | e foot in dep | oth, although locally it may |
| be two or three feet thick. The soil | is clay-rich | 1. |
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| OPERATION PLAN - 10 CSR 40-10.020(2)(D)1. | | |
| A. TOPSOIL | | |
| AVERAGE DEPTH OF TOPSOIL, PRIOR TO LAND RECLAMATION COMM | IISSION PERMITTING | ISTOPSOILTO BESOLD OR DISCARDED OFFSITE? |
| less | s than 6 _{INCHES} | YES OR K NO |
| DESCRIBE METHODS AND EQUIPMENT USED FOR TOPSOIL REMOVA | | |
| The topsoil, where it is present, will | l be removed | in the first phase of the |
| stripping operations. | | |
| The topsoil will be removed with a do: | zer/scraper c | or truck/loader and hauled |
| to a temporary storage site or a perma | anent reclama | ation site. |
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| DESCRIBE METHODS AND EQUIPMENT USED FOR TOPSOIL STORAGE | E AND DEOTEOTION | |
| If the topsoil is not hauled directly | | ement site from the |
| stripped area, then temporary stockpi | | |

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| B. SPOIL |
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| DESCRIBE METHODS AND LOCATION OF SPOIL ACEMENT AND DISPOSAL |
| The spoils or waste rock consists primarily of limestone overburden from the |
| pit, oversize rejects, and some plant tailings. |
| The overburden, where competent, will be drilled and blasted, then |
| transported to a stockpile. |
| Plant tailings, oversize rejects, and remaining overburden, if any, will be |
| incorporated as a cover with the waste rock to help serve as a root medium. |
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| C. ACID MATERIALS |
| DESCRIBE METHODS AND EQUIPMENT USED FOR HANDLING ACID MATERIALS (IF NONE IS ANTICIPATED, WRITE "NONE" BELOW) |
| NONE |
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| D. PIT INFORMATION (GIVE ALL DIMENSIONS IN FEET) |
| DESCRIBE LOCATION AND ORIENTATION OF PIT, IF NOT CLEAR ON SITE MAPS |
| The proposed five year mine plan outlines clearly the mining and |
| overburden removal areas in the proposed sequence of mining from 1997 until |
| 2002. Ha wanted maps which show april on 4 1 2007, T7 414-02 |
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| A buffer in excess of fifty feet will be maintained adjacent to the property |
| boundary and/or Highway Z. |
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| YES NO |

Will any excavation be at or within fifty feet (50') of the right-of-way of any public road?

greater, unless a variance is granted by the Commission.)

(NOTE: If the answer is "yes", a safety barrier may be needed.)

Will any excavation start at or within fifty feet (50') of any property line?

Will any highwall consisting of unconsolidated materials be left within fifty feet of the right-of-way of any public road? (NOTE: For unconsolidated materials left in place, a slope of no more than forty degrees may start near the right of way, and in no case may the excavation be closer to the right of way than fifty feet or twenty-five feet plus one and one-half (1-1/2) times the depth of unconsolidated material, whichever is

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RECLAMATION PLAN - 10 CSR 40-10. (2)(D)2.

A. REVEGETATION (Attach additional sheets, if needed)

REVEGETATION MIX #1 PURPOSE OR LAND USE B. SEEDING OR PLANTING TIME Wildlife spring

DESCRIBE METHODS AND EQUIPMENT TO BE USED FOR SEEDING OR PLANTING

Following topsoil replacement, the ground will be repaired and then seed will be distributed by one or more of the following methods: broadcasting, hand planting, or hydroseeding.

Plant types for both the spring and the fall season are listed below. Seeding grasses and legumes may occur either spring or fall; however, all trees and shrubs will be planted in the spring. Some tree/shrub species may be planted as seed (e.g. black locust). Tree and shrub mixes will depend on final site conditions (continued below)

Lime and fertilizer will be applied according to recommendations made, based on an analysis of soil texture and nutrients. Mulch will be applied to all slopes exceeding 5:1.

| SEEDED SPECIES | POUNDS/ACRE | TREE OR SHRUB SPE | CIES | STEMS/ACRE |
|---|---------------------|-------------------------|-------|-----------------------------------|
| 151 10000 11/5/1 | 20 | Hackberry (D+W) | | 300 avg. |
| Switchgrass by W/ | 15 | Dogwood (D+W) | ĺ | Each utilized |
| Little bluestem b_{i} | 5 | Black Locust (D+W |) | species will |
| Oats (MD) | 50 | Pin Oak (D+W) | | comprise at |
| Chimp Metate* | 10 | Green Ash (W) | ļ | least 5 % of |
| Clover | 5 | Bur Oak (D) | ţ | the total plant- |
| * Nov-1-2002 Modification Substitute Roundheaded bus | shclover and/or Par | ridge Pea for Crown N | /etch | ing. At least five different |
| Substitute Deer Tongue for | Tall Fescue | eson per T. Thorn (DNR) | V | woody species vill be planted. |
| REVEGETATION MIX #2 | PURPOSE OR LAND U | SE 'B. SE | | PLANTING TIME |
| | Wildlife | Fal | 1 | |

DESCRIBE METHODS AND EQUIPMENT TO BE USED FOR SEEDING OR PLANTING (continued from above)

(e.g. Bur oak will be planted on well-drained upland sites (D); Pecan or Walnut will be planted in th moist lowlands (W). Trees and shrubs will be planted in irregular shaped patches with some open spaces to increase edge effect and, thus, habitat diversity.

Lime and fertilizer will be applied according to recommendations made, based on an analysis of soil texture and nutrients. Mulch will be applied to all slopes exceeding 5:1.

| SEEDED SPECIES | POUNDS/ACRE | TREE OR SHRUB SPECIES | STEMS/ACRE |
|---|-------------|--|----------------------------------|
| * | 20 | | RECEIVED |
| Switchgrass | 15 | Trees and shrubs will | |
| Little Bluestem | 5 | be planted in the | NOV 7 2002 |
| Rye * | 45 | spring. | |
| Erovn: Vetch= | 10 | D= Dry | FOR LOT FOR TO THE |
| Clover | 5 | W= Wet | CEIVED |
| * Nov-1-2002 Modification Substitute Roundheaded bus | \ | D+W= Dry and Wet ridge Pea for Crown Vetch M | CEIVED AR - 4 1998 |
| Substitute Deer Tongue for | | MISSON PUT T. Thorn DNR) | ISSOURI LAND ATION COMMISSION |

B. GRADING

DESCRIBE PROPOSED RECLAIMED TOPOGRAPH, INCLUDING SLOPES

The reclaimed topography will mirror the surrounding countryside. It will consist of gently sloping areas and some escarpments.

Unconsolidated material will be graded such that it does not exceed a 3H:1V slope. Consolidated rock will be left as a vertical cliff.

Maximum height is unlikely to exceed 50 feet. Overhanging material will be removed.

The topography will allow for natural surface drainage.

C. DESCRIBE THE GENERAL SEQUENCE AND TIMING OF THE FOLLOWING ACTIVITIES

GRADING

If grading is necessary to achieve final slope, it will occur at the completion of waste deposition activities. Where applicable, grading may also be used to distribute topsoil or other approved grading media. All grading will be complete within twelve months of permanent cessation of operations at this site.

REPLACEMENT OF TOPSOIL

The topsoil will be recovered from stockpiles at the beginning of a favorable growing season and not later than twelve months after the expiration date of the permit under which the disturbance occurred.

REVEGETATION

Revegetation will commence during a favorable growing season and immediately after application of the topsoil. Seeding and planting will take place within a twenty-four month period following the expiration of mining activities and/or the expiration of the mining permit.

AVERAGE DEPTH OF REPLACED TOPSOIL (INCHES)

| D. USE OF LAND WHEN RECLAIMED | | |
|---|----------------------------|------------------|
| Estimate acreage of each land use below, after reclamation | | ESTIMATED ACRES: |
| Wildlife (forest or other habitat with livestock excluded) | | 252 |
| Agricultural (pasture, cropland, and horticultural) | RECEIVED | |
| Development (residential, industrial, and recreational) | MAR - 4 1998 MISSOURI LAND | |
| Water impoundments (for wildlife, agricultural, or development) | RECLAMATION COMMISSION | 6 |

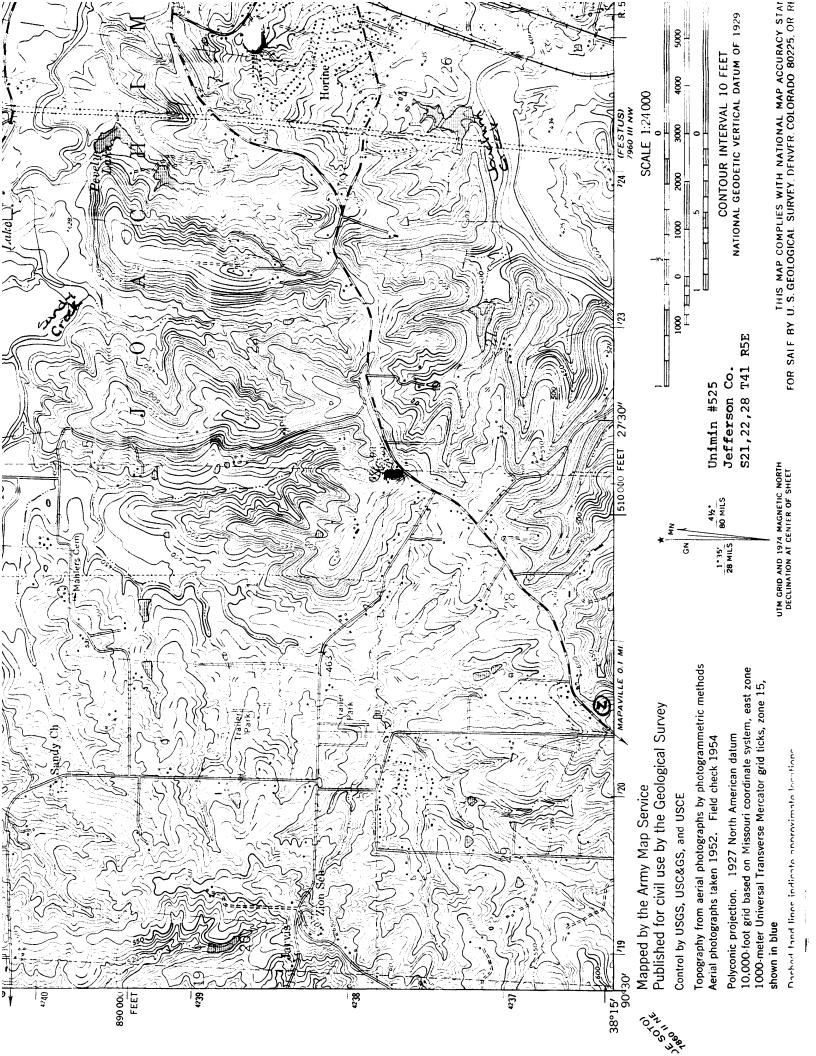
By my signature, I attest to the following:

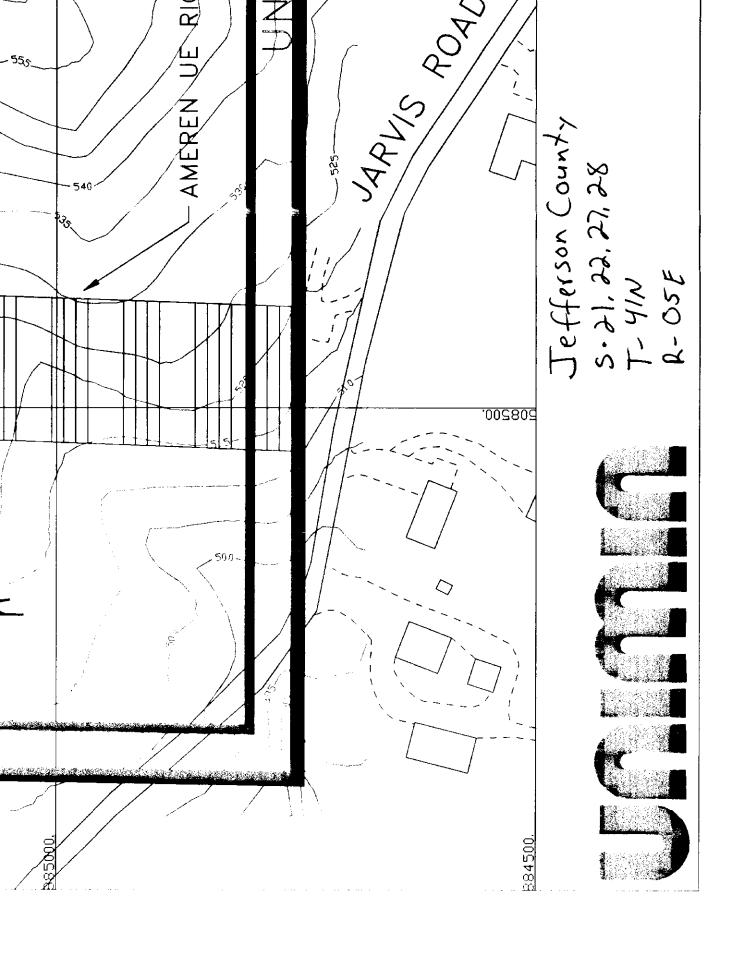
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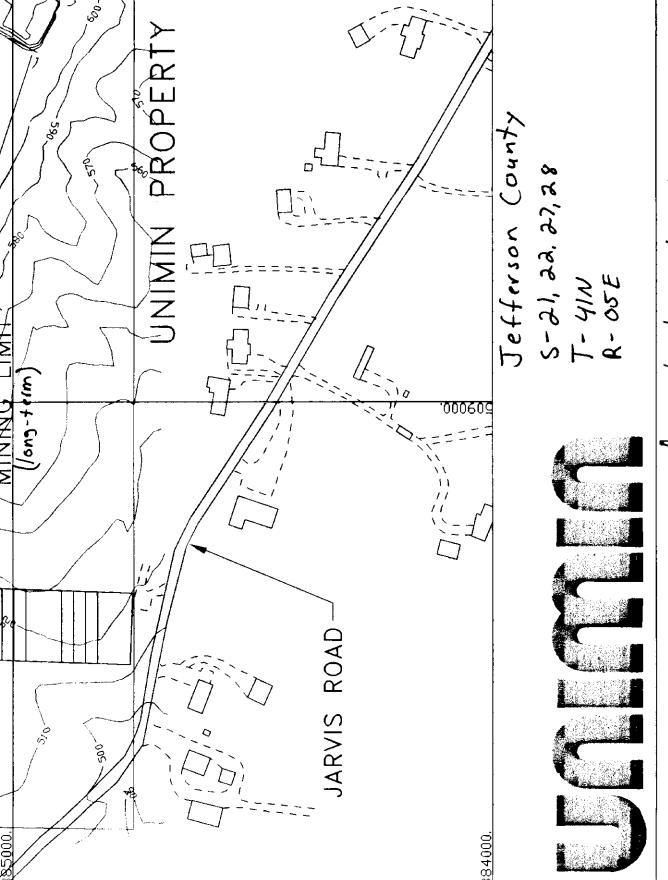
- 1. All statements made on this Mine Plan Form are correct, complete, and true, to the best of my knowledge.
- 2. For the company I am authorized to represent intend(s) to mine in accordance with this Mine Plan Form, and in accordance with the Missouri Land Reclamation Act, Sections 444.760 through 444.789, RSMo (Supp. 1990), and all rules, regulations, orders, decisions and permits of the Missouri Land Reclamation Commission pertaining to my company's surface mining operations.
- 3. I have obtained the approval of all landowner's for all proposed post-reclamation land uses.
- 4. I have a valid agreement with all landowners which gives me the right to grant access to the Director of the Missouri Land Reclamation Commission and his authorized representatives, and I grant such access, and further where I have no such right, I have attached signed affidavits from the landowners, granting such access.

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| SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT | | TITLE | | DATE |
|-----------------------------|--|---------------------------------|------------|---|
| danil (| 2 Rone | Plant Manag | ger | 2/26/88 |
| NOTARY PUBLIC EMBOSSER SEAL | STATE | | COUNTY (| OR CITY OF ST. LOUIS) |
| | SUBSCRIBED AND SWOR | NO SEFORE ME, THIS YOF FEB 19 9 | 8 USE RUBB | ER STAMP IN CLEAR AREA RELOW |
| | NOTARY PUBLIC SIGNATU NOTARY PUBLIC NAME (T | Wanner 03-12-9 | 2 | KIM M. HENSON Notary Public-Notary Seal STATE OF MISSOURI County of Jefferson, Missouri ommission Expires: March 12, 1999 |
| APPROVED BY (DIRECTOR'S R | EPRESENTATIVE) | DATE APPROVED | | PERMIT NUMBER |
| 6/11/2 5. E | imal . | 4-24-98 | 3 | 0525 |







Area to be reclaimed to Wildlife - (252 acres) and water impoundment (bacres)